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Dear Fred:

This is in response to your letter of 28 December 1983 to Bill Casey seeking the views of the Director of Central Intelligence for your study of oversight and accountability in the Intelligence Community. Bill has asked me to thank you for offering him the opportunity to participate in your study and to express his regret that the press of other business makes it impossible at this time to give this matter the careful attention it requires. Nevertheless, Bill has asked me to express his high regard for the fine work of the ABA Standing Committee in the past and to encourage you to continue its efforts. He is aware that I presently have your questionnaire before me and that I am in the process of preparing an appropriate response.

